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those who have made a success in the field of finance.

Bankers have earned the right to nationwide public confidence. During depression, war, and inflation, they quietly went about their business; and they have emerged with stronger banks than ever before.—W. Harold Brenton, of Iowa, Retiring President of American Bankers Association, 1953.

An Indian Idea

Whether the white man has the last word in how the world should be run may well be questioned by the Indians from whom he has taken over. A Sedan, Kansas, newspaper says a farm journal offered a \$100 prize for the best 100 word comment on a deserted farm house in a gullied field. An Indian, so the story goes, won with the following:

"Picture show white man crazy. Cut down big trees. Make big tepee. Plow hill. Water wash. Wind blow soil. Grass gone. Door gone. Window gone. Whole place gone. Buck gone. Papoose gone. Squaw too. No chuck-away. No pigs. No corn. No plow. No hay. No pony.

"Indian no plow land. Keep grass. Buffalo eat grass. Indian eat buffalo. Hide make tepee. Make moccasin. Indian no make terrace. No make dam. All time eat. No hunt job. No hitch hike. No ask relief. No shoot pig. Great spirit make grass. Indian no waste anything. Indian no work. White man loco."

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The test after all, is not whether a certain law is popular, but whether the law is based upon fundamental justice, fundamental decency and righteousness, fundamental morality and goodness. What we need is not law enforcement, but law observance. In a modern society there is no real freedom from law. There is only freedom in law.—Peter Marshall.

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